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In response to the Office Action mailed on March 12, 2003 in the above-referenced patent application, enclosed please find formal drawings of Figures 1, 2, 3A1-5, 3B, 4, 5A, 5B, 6, 7, 8A, 8B and 9 on nine (9) separate sheets.

Acceptance of the formal drawings is respectfully requested.

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Enclosed for filing in the above-identified patent application, please find the following documents:

1. Response to Office Action mailed March 12, 2003;
2. Petition for Extension of Time;
3. Transmittal of Formal Drawings;
4. Check in the amount of \$465.00 for the requisite fee; and
5. Return Post Card.

The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment in the total fees to Deposit Account No. 16-0085, Reference No. 8039/1122. A duplicate of this transmittal letter is enclosed for this purpose.

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